GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Agricultural Marketing Department – Vigilance Report No.13, dated:28-02-2019 – Allegations of irregularities in misappropriation of amount collected in the Check Posts at AMC, Kothapeta, East Godavari District - Departmental proceedings initiated by framing article of charges against Sri A.V.Sridhar, the then Assistant Marketing Supervisor, AMC, Kothapeta – Charged Officer expired on 23.12.2022 – Further action abated – Orders – Issued.

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AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (VIG-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.658 **Dated:07.09.2023**

Read the following:-

1. Vigilance Report No.13 (C.No.137/V&E/R1/2019), dated:28.02.2019 of the Director General, General Administration(V&E)Department.
2. Govt.Memo No.AGC01-MKTG/31/2019-Vig.II, dated:01.04.2019.
3. Letter No.AGC05-16021/19/2019, dated:05.08.2019 & 22.10.2019 of the C&DoAM, AP, Guntur,.
4. G.O.Ms.No.86, Agri.& Coop.(Vig.II)Dept., dated:11.11.2020.
5. G.O.Rt.No.790, Agri.& Coop.(Vig.II)Dept., dated:11.11.2020.
6. Written statement of defence dated:21.12.2020 of Sri A.V.Sridhar, the then AMS, AMC, Kothapeta.
7. G.O.Ms.No.59, Agri.& Coop.(Vig.II)Dept., dated:09.11.2022.
8. G.O.Rt.No.746, Agri.& Coop.(Vig.II)Dept., dated:09.11.2022.
9. E-file No.AGC05-16021/19/2019-DISCPLR SC-MRKT(Computer No.863225) received from the C&DoAM, AP, Guntur on 16.03.2023.

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O R D E R:

In a disciplinary case on the allegations of irregularities in misappropriation of amounts collected in the Check Posts at AMC, Kothapeta, East Godavari District, based on the Vigilance Report No.13, dated:28.02.2019 of the Vigilance & Enforcement Department in the reference 1st read above and based on the proposal of the Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur in the reference 3rd read above, the Government had initiated departmental proceedings by framing article of charges against Sri A.V.Sridhar, the then Assistant Marketing Supervisor, AMC, Kothapeta vide references 5th read above.

2. The Charged Officer has submitted their written statements of defence denying the charges framed against him and requested to drop further action against him vide reference 6th read above.

3. Further, based on the proposal of the Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur, additional charges have also been framed against Sri A.V.Sridhar, the then Assistant Marketing Supervisor, AMC, Kothapeta vide 8th read above, in the instant disciplinary case.

4. As the matter stood thus, the Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur in the reference 9th read above, has informed that the Charged Officer viz. Sri A.V.Sridhar, the then Assistant Marketing Supervisor, AMC, Kothapeta and Assistant Marketing Supervisor, AMC, Rampachodavaram expired on 23.12.2022. Therefore, the Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur has requested to abate the article of charges framed against the deceased officer.

(P.T.O.)

5. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby order to abate further action against the Charged Officer viz., Sri A.V.Sridhar, the then Assistant Marketing Supervisor, AMC, Kothapeta and Assistant Marketing Supervisor, AMC, Rampachodavaram, subject to recovery of loss, if any, caused to the Government (or) misappropriated amount by the deceased Government servant, from the terminal benefits admissible to his legal heirs, in the instant disciplinary case.

6. The Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CHIRANJIV CHOUDHARY, IFS,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri A.V.Sridhar (expired),
The then Assistant Marketing Supervisor, AMC, Kothapeta and
Assistant Marketing Supervisor, AMC, Rampachodavaram
(Through : The Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur)
The Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur.
Copy to:-
The General Administration(V&E)Department.
The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner,
A.P.Vigilance Commission, A.P.Secretariat.
The Accountant General, A.P., Vijayawada.
SF/SC.

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

K. Sampath Kumar
SECTION OFFICER